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The Sense of Security in Buying

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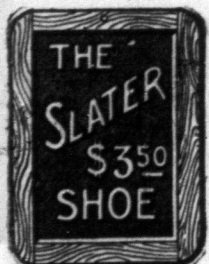


ORIGIN OF TRADE MARKS

Trade marks were used as far back as the 16th Century.

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SOLE AGENTS

THE SLATER SHOE

THE FIRST HORROR

Of the Great Paris Exhibition Happens on Sunday.

Six People Killed and About Forty Injured by the Collapse of a Condensed Bridge.

Paris, April 30.—The first horror of a Sunday one at that occurred yesterday at the Paris exhibition. The grounds were crowded with sightseers. There was a tremendous crowd. A foot bridge on which the finishing touches were being put crosses the avenue de Suffren, connecting the Colonne de la Bastille with the exhibition grounds. It was constructed of wood, with a steel facade, and with a plaster made tower at each end. Strangely enough the bridge had been condemned only in the morning as unsafe by the exhibition authorities. The public was therefore not allowed to go upon the structure, and in this way a disaster ever more terrible than that which occurred was averted. The gay crowd was passing along the avenue and some hundred or more persons were walking beneath the bridge, when suddenly an ominous crash was heard. Before those underneath could turn aside, the structure fell with a fearful crash, burying nearly fifty people. Six were taken out dead and the rest badly injured.

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They Successfully Charged the Boer Kopjes at Israel's Poort.

London, April 30.—A special dispatch from Thabanehu, dated Thursday, describing the fight at Israel's Poort, which is about seven miles west of Thabanehu, says:—

"Three hundred Boers were strongly entrenched on two kopjes. The place of honor was given to the Canadians, who advanced very cleverly under their dashing commander, Col. Otter. The Boers reserved their fire until the Canadians had reached the wire entanglements. Then they opened with a terrific hail of bullets. The Canadians, however, had taken good cover, and were not greatly damaged. They were ably supported in the assault by the Grahamstown Horse. Successive rushes brought them right up to the kopjes, when Col. Otter was struck twice, one bullet inflicting a nasty but not dangerous wound in the neck, and the other tearing the badges from his shoulder. But he still cheered his men on until the kopjes were carried. The Boers fought. The British losses were 20 killed and wounded."

A despatch to the Daily Mail from Thabanehu, describing the same engagement, says:—The British artillery shelled the kopjes all day, from three positions. The Boer positions were extremely well chosen, consisting of a long range of very precipitous hills, with narrow passes between, commanding a vast extent of country.

The mounted infantry made a wide turning movement, while the foot infantry advanced within 2,000 yards under good shelter. In the afternoon the battle became general and extended over a frontage of ten miles. The rifle, Maxim and artillery firing was deafening.

At three o'clock the Canadians advanced in open order, but meeting with a terrific fire they took shelter in a donga. When they finally reached the kopjes, the Boers were seen retreating north and east with wagons, and subsequently, when the infantry made the dash, the rest of the enemy fired a few shots and cleared off.

On occupying Thabanehu, we found the stores and hotels all looted by the Boers. The natives complain of having their horses and cattle stolen and of cruel treatment. The English residents were subjected to taunts and insults. I learn that yesterday Boer reinforcements from Brandfort came to late to assist their comrades. We found a heliograph message from President Steyn to Gen. Botha, saying it was inadvisable to send more troops to Fourteen Streams, as the federals were already too weak between Bloemfontein and Kroonstad, and because there were 50,000 British at Bloemfontein. The farmers around here have all been forced to rejoin the enemy.

BOERS HAVE CLEARED.

Nothing Now to Stand in the Way of Lord Roberts' Advance.

London, Monday, April 30, 5 p.m.—The only despatch from Lord Roberts published yesterday was the usual list of deaths and sickness. The flood of newspaper despatches to-day describing the recent operations throws no light whatever upon the present position of affairs or upon the great questions as to when the main advance is to begin. The Standard's announcement that General French's cavalry are returning to Bloemfontein is clear proof that there is no further hope of catching the retreating Boers, and the London papers are beginning to display impatience at the practical failure of the elaborate operations of last week. The Bloemfontein correspondent of the Post speaks now of the urgent need at present and always of more horses. There is very little news from other quarters.

STILL RETREATING.

The Standard's special correspondent at Bloemfontein, telegraphing Sunday evening, says:—"Reports have just been received that the Boers are retreating to the north of Ladybrand. Their horses are exhausted and they are unable to capture Col. Dalgety's position. The British cavalry, who were pursuing the fugitive commandoes, are returning to Bloemfontein."

The Morning Post's Bloemfontein correspondent, in a despatch dated Saturday, protests against Mr. Wyndham's reply in the House of Commons which undertook to disconnect the delay in Lord Roberts' advance from the lack of horses. He says:—"On the contrary the necessity for a large and ever increasing supply of remounts cannot be too urgently insisted upon. The sacrifice of horseflesh in the past is as nothing when compared with the possibilities of the future. The area across which a cavalry screen must be thrown will necessitate an immense strain, and these consequent gaps must be filled as soon as the opportunity occurs."

THE DIRECT ADVANCE.

"The 6th, 7th, 9th and 11th divisions will participate probably in the direct advance. The transport of the 6th division will be used to provide for the mounted infantry, but the transport of the 3rd division will possibly supply its place. There are rumors that the advance will be made in many columns, but I do not contemplate such a sub-division."

The Times correspondent, under Saturday's date, says:—"Gen. Botha arrived at Dewets Dorp Monday, and immediately detached a commando to oppose General French's cavalry. We appear to have been forestalled by Botha by just 24 hours."

The Bloemfontein correspondent of the Daily Chronicle, telegraphing Saturday, says:—"A cavalry reconnaissance, 25 miles north-east encountered 400 Boers. The British drove them out of a kopje north of Karoo."

A DIFFICULT TASK.

The Bloemfontein correspondent of the Standard, telegraphing Sunday, says:—"The Boers have taken every advantage of the mountainous nature of the country which marks the line of their retreat to Ladybrand. The task of driving them is difficult, and it is doubtful whether they can be reduced to submission in a district so favorable to their tactics. I have visited a British outpost, the one nearest Brandfort. The Boers show the deepest anxiety to learn the probability of their advance, and they declare that they will not fire a shot from Brandfort, as they wish to save the town from bombardment. The enemy are entrenched on the hills south-east of Brandfort, but they are not likely to make any serious stand until we reach Kroonstad."

BOER ARMY SHRINKING.

The Bloemfontein correspondent of the Morning Post, telegraphing Saturday, says:—"From a Boer official in the commissariat I have obtained some interesting details. The Boers had in December 60,000 men. In March they had barely 20,500, having lost 8,000 in killed or wounded and 6,500 in captured. The others are not accounted for, but have probably returned to their farms. The official who gave me the information predicts that the approach of winter will produce a further shrinkage."

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DAILY AND WEEKLY

Chatham, Ont.

A GENERAL ELECTION THIS YEAR LIKELY!

While not professing to know any more about the matter than anybody else, The Planet, as it has said before, does not believe the Ottawa government will summon up courage to face the people until forced to do so. At the same time we believe the ministry have had the idea of an early appeal in their minds for nearly a year. Their intention at present, even, may be for a general election next fall. But when the session is over and the government's supporters get home and around their constituents a change may come over the situation. They will find it difficult to convince the electors at large of the beneficence of Liberal rule, when the said electors know they are daily paying out more for the necessities of life than they ever paid out before. The consequence of this will be that another session will be found necessary to do a lot of tariff tinkering, or rather to undo a large portion of the tinkering that has already been done.

We may, of course, be wrong, and it will do no harm anyway to get ready for any emergency, but at the same time we cannot believe for a moment the Laurier government will pursue such a suicidal course as to rush into an election with things as they are.

Take the average elector. He is making no more money than he was before 1896. But he is paying a dollar for 18 or 20 pounds of sugar, where he used to get 28 and 30. He is paying 18 to 20 cents for a gallon of coal oil that used to cost him 10 or 12 cents. If he happens to be a farmer his binder twine is costing double what it formerly did. And so on with many other articles. Now, no matter whether this increase is due to tariff tinkering or to other causes, every citizen realizes that he is being hit hard and straight financially. It is none less than he was. He knows it worse off than he was. He knows it personally from dealing out the cash day by day. Now, what good under those circumstances will it be to talk trade returns and big surpluses to a man? He will judge the government's whole policy by the unpleasant situation of it which comes in contact with his own pocket, and it is easy for even the warmest friend of the government to surmise what the result will be? Is it probable, therefore, that the Liberal leaders will not find all this out when they approach the people, and in consequence make an attempt to avert defeat by holding another session to pass all kinds of patchwork legislation?

Our esteemed local contemporary seems to have another bad attack of Tupperphobia.

The tendency of the age is towards public ownership, but every fresh gift the present Liberal Government are so fond of making to private friends will make the change doubly difficult and extremely costly when the time comes for it.

The vote of one and a half million acres of land to Promoter Clarke for his tramway went through the legislature of a strict party vote. It is difficult to tell where the Ross Government will land this province before the electors get another opportunity to turn them out.

London, England, is to have a religious duty as a regular institution. A. E. Clarke, of Wembley, is to be the editor. The paper will be called the New Daily. The object of the new paper is to set forth in the first pages of the paper the following: "The idea of this journal is to advocate daily with all fearlessness and candor a return to those first principles of our Christian profession from which we have so grossly departed; to promote meditation, to encourage criticism and discussion, and to do the utmost possible to supply a good daily with the least possible parade and expense."

A BIG CORN AREA.
National Stockman.
Everything points to an enormous area of corn this year. The market price, the prospect of another year of profitable stock feeding and the numerous barren wheat fields all favor a big acreage. But it must be remembered that this country can make use of a big crop, and that a wide area is necessary to produce it. The uses of corn are multiplying. The amount sold from farms is increasing every year and so is the quantity fed to animals. Cattle, hog, sheep and horse feeding are all growing industries so far as consumption of corn is concerned, for they are taking more of it every year. Much range stock that formerly went to market almost entirely off grass is now finished with corn; the gluton industry has been to a great extent transformed into a lamb fattening business. In these and other directions, such as manufacturing and exportation, the consumption of corn is surely gaining on the production. An extraordinary crop,

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Bowel Trouble.—My mother, Mrs. John Ried, suffered with bowel trouble for four years and tried different doctors, but obtained no relief until she began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. Three bottles of this medicine entirely cured her. Lizzie Ried, Tracy Station, N. B.

Scorfula.—An abscess on my hip was lanced and never healed. Another broke out on the other hip and the next year three more appeared. I took Hood's Sarsaparilla and it helped me. Since taking six bottles of the medicine I have not been troubled, and the eruptions had disappeared for seven years. Mrs. FRANKLIN H. TRED, Freetown, N. S.

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with comparatively low prices, is still among the possibilities, but the day has forever gone by when a crop of 2,000,000,000 bushels will bring the price down to fuel point.

THE FIRST APOLOGIST.

Montreal Gazette.
Mr. Tarte is unique in several ways. In no way, however, is he more out of the common than in being the first man holding the position of a British minister to apologize to a foreigner for his country doing its duty when war was declared against the sovereign. His Journal de Paris interview should live.

SAYS SHE WAS HYPNOTISED.

Qskoksk (Wis.) Northwestern.

A strange story is circulated at Clintonville in connection with the oratorical contest between the pupils of that place and Shawano recently. One of the declaimers was a Miss Williams, but when she was half through her piece she had what appeared to be a fainting spell, and her effort was a complete failure. In consequence, she was hypnotized by a young woman from Shawano who sat in the audience, declaring that when the latter caught her eye she found it impossible to look away, and that a spell of complete forgetfulness came over her. It is further claimed that this young lady from Shawano has a wonderful power as a hypnotist, and has caused much trouble in the Shawano school, where she is a student.

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Has your insurance run out? Have you tried frizzled mutton? Harriet says please don't give the hogs frozen swill.

That's right, get mad once in a while; at such times keep your mouth shut. It is a good time to swear off from rum, tobacco and cuss words.

Start to educate your grandchildren now by teaching yourself. Something to remember—the pigs and chickens like clover hay.

Whimsy cumber all new enterprises; experience prunes them off. Big shoulders of the farm may be sunk where they are, rather than be hauled off.

Make a proper garden; that is plan now for spring planting. Order your seeds now.

Some men are especially economical when they buy for their wives. That isn't right.

When your neighbor talks louder than you, it is a sign that he is wrong and you are right.

If anybody wants to do your thinking for you say to him, "No, I thank you, I can do it myself."

The newest idea is to filter milk. This is done through sand, and is practiced in several European cities.

If the day be bitter cold and you have a long journey to make, take the lantern along, lighted, under the robe.

Milk the heifer with first calf as long as you can get a drop, clear up to the second calf. This will make her a better cow.

A cow will give about so much milk in a year, no matter what time she comes in, and she should be bred so as to produce milk during the whole of the season of best prices.

The Vegetable Grower.

To procure large specimens for show purposes seeds should be sown now in greenhouse or hotbed. Sow rather thickly in flats filled with soil composed of two-thirds good loam, the other third of leaf mould and sand in equal portions. When well up remove to a light, airy situation to prevent drawing, and as soon as the plants have attained sufficient size for handling, or begin to get crowded, they should be picked over, allowing about half an inch each. A rather heavier soil can be used this time, but it should not be too rich. Shading will be advantageous for a few days until they begin to take hold, but after that give all the air and light possible to keep the plants stout and stocky. If they can be kept in this condition until the time for transplanting to the open ground arrives, they will be found to be easier and more satisfactory to handle, and the danger of their receiving a check is considerably lessened.

It is well to have a few of these large sized onions, even although exhibiting is not contemplated; they are good for fall and early winter use, but do not keep so well as the smaller and firmer ones that have been sown and grown out of doors. The larger growing varieties, such as Prize-Taker and Giant Rocco, are the most commonly used, though almost any of the others may be employed, and will attain extra size under this treatment.

These also, if large size is desired, or showing be contemplated, may be grown under similar treatment to the foregoing up to the planting out stage, when a trench should be prepared for them similar to that employed for celerery. They are gross feeders, love abundance of soil around them is kept loose and well stirred. To have the stem or white part as long as possible they should be kept frequently earthed up, according as the hearts grow. To help draw the hearts up paper collars can be used with advantage. These are drawn up as the plants grow and the space below filled up with soil. In this way the white can be grown to a length of eighteen inches; we have seen them even more, but liberal feeding and good cultivation must be given to give them a proportionate thickness. WM. SCOTT, N. Y.

A Winter Force.
After twenty years' experience as a force of tomatoes, William Nicholson, South Framlingham, Mass., tells us that Sutton's Best of All and Frogmore come nearer to his ideal of a winter force than all others. He tried last season a house 100 feet in length and twenty in width, which yielded a crop of 4,500 pounds of fine fruit. In it he tried six kinds and attributed the success to the two named, and this season is growing no others.

Mr. Nicholson has always been a keen observer and has kept a close record on the behavior of the kinds he has grown, and the results obtained in the way of price, etc., and he has this to say: "Years ago when I used to get \$1 and more per pound hotel keepers wanted a small tomato that they could serve up as a portion. Now, with tomatoes averaging from 25 cents to 35 cents per pound during the winter season find hotel keepers and chefs generally find them and they can afford to slice them, and consequently a larger tomato is required."

And herein lies the value of the varieties in question. They grow to a good size and are solid; also they sat freely. Mr. Nicholson inclines to the opinion that English varieties always make better winter forces than do the American kinds, the foreigner makes better foliage and grows more strongly during the winter. He claims here is the reason of a better set of fruit. Mr. Nicholson follows chrysanthemums with his tomatoes, consequently he grows all his plants in pots.

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How do you suppose a client can crowd in here with you fellows swarming all over the stairs and filling the vestibule? Confound it! Do you think I can earn \$50,000 a year chatting with reporters? Good morning, sir.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Not on an Equality.
"Ah, here is my friend the dodo," affably spoke the J. Fenimore Cooper Indian.

"We can sympathize with each other, friend dodo. We are both extinct."

"There can be no sympathy between us," coldly replied the dodo, turning its tall feathers on the other shade. "I really existed once and you never did."

—Chicago Tribune.

She Picked Him, But Loved Him Not.
"Then I may not hope to bring you to my way of thinking?" faltered the despairing lover.

The beautiful Bostonian shuddered. "No," she replied, "for it is apparent that, from the particular to the particular, while I shall always prima causa violent think from the general to the particular."

She pitted him; but pity was far from love.—Detroit Journal.

Another View of It.
"Marriages," quoted the moralizer, "are made in heaven."

"Perhaps they are planned there," remarked the demagogue, "but the ceremonies are performed at a safe distance."

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NAPOLEON AT ST. HELENA.

His Views on the Precautions Taken to Prevent His Escape.

One of the extracts from Dr. O'Meara's St. Helena diary in The Century records Napoleon's views on the precautions taken to prevent his escape.

He spoke anew about escaping and said that if he was inclined to try it, which he was not, there were 55 chances in 100 against his effecting it. "But," said he, "this faller every week imposes new and vexatious restrictions upon me, just as if I was in a place where I had nothing to do but to step into a boat and be away. When I was at Elba, it was different. It is true that while one lives there is a chance of escape. Although ironed and chained down, included in a cell of stone and every human precaution taken against a possibility of it, still there is a chance of escape, and the only way to prevent it is to put me to death.

"This is the only sure way. Let him put me to death, and all uneasiness on the part of the European powers, Lord Castlereagh himself and his government will cease. No more expense then; no more squadrons to watch me or poor soldiers, fatigued to death with pickets and guards or harassed with carrying burdens up those precipices. I am sure those poor devils have reason to hate me and wish my death. They must, however, be conscious that the fatiguing duties imposed upon them are unnecessary and vexatious, as the sight of the island must convince every one but a suspicious cog-lone that escape from it was nearly impossible unless, as I have said before, that while there is life there is a chance, if attempted.

"Where could I go to, allowing that I got out of the island? Every place I could arrive at I would find enemies to seize me. This governor's conduct will soon be known in England and will not procure him any credit there. Those officers all will write an account of the unnecessary rigor with which I am treated and their opinion of it. The newspapers will be full of it."

A FEMININE FILING.

Difficulty Many of the Sex Have in Telling Right From Left.

"I saw by a paper last week that a colored woman was excluded from testifying in court because she didn't know her right hand from her left and was therefore esteemed too ignorant for her evidence to be of any value," observed an observant man yesterday. "Now, do you know I don't believe one woman out of six knows her right hand from her left without stopping to consider the matter.

"I was standing in the foyer of a theater the other day at a matinee watching the audience, mostly feminine, as it passed in. Well, each maid handed her check to the usher, and he called out 'First door to the right' or 'Second door to the left,' as the case might be. With hardly an exception those girls turned in the wrong direction; then they'd pause to consider, exclaim, 'We're going the wrong way' and skurry back again.

"This happened so often that I spoke to the usher about it. 'They always do it,' he replied laconically. 'I usually point so they'll know the way, but I've neglected to do that today. They're all right if they stop to think, but they never do think.'

"I myself know an intelligent young woman who has to make a little motion as if she were writing with both hands before she can determine the right one, and she says that all her acquaintances are affected in like manner, so perhaps this is a general feminine failing, and the colored witness was unjustly excluded."—Baltimore News.

Saved the Bank's Money.

"Whenever I buy anything," once said Russell Sage in telling the story, "I make it a rule to talk with the sales man. I am a member of a great many different boards of directors in a great many lines of investment, and I often find this information of great service. Some time ago I went into a large clothing store to buy a suit of clothes at a low price that I had seen advertised. I bought the clothes for \$14, I think, and in talking with the clerk I found the lot had been sent to his store from a big manufacturing concern to be sold on commission. I got them for less than cost. Now, I have kept a general store and understand that business, and there is no money in that sort of thing.

"A few weeks afterward this manufacturing concern applied to one of the banks I am connected with for a large loan. Their credit was apparently all right, but on the strength of what I had learned I held up that loan, and a short time later the concern failed."—Saturday Evening Post.

Montana Sapphires.

There are in Montana sapphires of beauty and value, but they have never been as systematically worked as have been the sapphires of the orient. True, they are light in color, but they have more brilliancy than the Asian sapphires and often exhibit dichroism, or double color, under different lights. The supposition that a sapphire should be dark blue is possibly responsible for the slowness of their acceptance in the market, but as a matter of fact sapphires are not of necessity blue; they are green, yellow, purple, white, and when they are red we call them rubies, for the ruby and sapphire are identical in the same, save for a fraction of a per cent of coloring matter.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Different Points of View.

Mr. Growells—What! You want a new bonnet? Why, I think the one you have is very becoming.

Mrs. Growells—Yes, and so do the neighbors. They think it is becoming very ancient and decrepit.—Chicago News.

PLAIN SAMANTHY ANN.

Twice lucky is the poet who may call a sweetheart Rose; His sonnets speak her eyes of blue, His ballads sing her pose. A rhyme with Gladys one might pen, Quite good enough to see, But what if your girl's cognomen Was plain Samanthly Ann?

Now, if 'twere Grace or Isabel Or May, without a doubt, The muse would weave a mystic spell And some way help him out, But Pegasus will never in flight, Discomfiting stay him Who dares an amorous verse indite To plain Samanthly Ann.

There's Poe's Lenore and Burns' Jean For song were grateful themes, They well might speak of "modest mien" And weave their fancied dreams, But my sweetheart! Ah, such a shame To thus indict a ban On rhyming lover with a name Like plain Samanthly Ann.—Roy Farrell Greene in Detroit Free Press.

HOW A CLAIM PAID.

One Way of Getting Money Without Panning It Out.

"There are more ways of making money off a claim than panning it out," said an Alaska miner who had some luck with his pick and shovel. "For instance, I knew a man of means in the Dawson district who had a claim which had failed to be as profitable as expected, and he didn't know just what to do with it. He got his money back until he had devoted considerable thought to it. And it was simple enough when he knew how.

"He quietly went to the gold commissioner and announced that he wished to pay his 10 per cent royalty on the product of his claim for a year, which was \$6,000. The commissioner accepted the \$6,000 royalty and gave him the usual receipt, stating on its face what it was for, with the number of the claim, location, etc.

"Then he waited patiently about, like Mary's little lamb, and one day, in the course of human events, an Englishman came along looking for a good thing for some people who had money to spend. He asked Mr. Blank, among others, what he had to sell, and the smooth gent told him he didn't know exactly, but he would show him his goods. They looked over several claims that were practically unworked, and then in a casual way Mr. Blank showed the Englishman his receipt for royalty on claim so and so. 'And you know,' he said, with a wink, 'that a man isn't paying royalty on any more than he can possibly help.' 'The Englishman was right on to that little game, of course, and he sized up the \$6,000 receipt, looked over the claim in a general way and ended by buying it for \$150,000.'—Washington Star.

The Duke and the Dean.

The late Archbishop Rogers used to tell how Lord Rosebery joined him in petitioning the Duke of Wellington to open Apsley House, on Sunday afternoons, so that the public might see the pictures. The duke and Mr. Rogers met in the park and began to speak about the memorial.

"Among all these signatures," said the duke, "I find only one respectable name, and that is your own."

Mr. Rogers replied that Dean Stanley had signed.

"Oh," said the duke, "I don't call him respectable."

"Well, but there is Lord Rosebery," "I don't think much of him," answered the duke; "but, as you assure me it is all right, I will see what can be done."

It was finally agreed that visitors should be admitted on condition that they wiped their feet on the mats and did not sit down on the sofas.—Westminster Gazette.

Piecing Bank Notes.

I am told at the treasury department that it is not possible for a person to defeat the government by what they call "piecing"—that is, by clipping off small slices of several bank notes and fitting them together to resemble a complete note. Such offenses have been committed, and the guilty persons have been sent to the penitentiary, but the treasury never redeems the bills, and the loss falls upon the persons who send them in for redemption. There are several ways of committing frauds of this nature and they are done so skillfully as to escape detection except by experts. There is now a \$500 note on exhibition at the treasury which is made up of 16 slices of other notes so skillfully fitted together as to escape the notice of a number of banks and many people who handled it.—Chicago Record.

An Opera Air in Church.

Those of my churchgoing readers who are familiar with Mozart's opera of "Don Juan" and have even sung it in church in—

I am conscious of an interruption and a protest at the point, denying the allegation and defying the allegator; but I must insist on the truth of my statement. The tune "Smyrna" is not sung so much in church as it used to be, but you could find it in plenty of tunebooks 25 years ago. It is a beautiful melody, but not devotional except as it expresses the devotion of the fickle coquette in the opera as she consoles her bruised lover.—Irish Independent.

A Question of Advantage.

Man is distinguished from the beast by the power to speak his thoughts; the beast from the man by the power to keep his thoughts to himself.—Detroit Journal.

Siamese people have so superstitious a dislike for odd numbers that they strive always to have an even number of rooms, doors, windows, closets, etc., in their houses.



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MY GUIDE.

Proved That He Didn't Steal the Jug of Whiskey.

"While I was shooting in the Adirondacks last fall," said a lawyer well known but not famous in this city, "I defended a peculiar case. An old fellow had been acting as my guide when he was accused of stealing a jug of whiskey. He was a hard drinker when he had the stuff to drink, and his reputation for honesty was not of the best. However, he assured me that in this instance he was not guilty, and because he was valuable to me as a guide I agreed to defend him.

"When the case reached the court, which was held in the old school house, I tried all my wiles to get him off. I saw quickly that my task was hopeless, for the Court and every member of the jury appeared to have a prior conviction of his guilt. The old guide himself saw this, and squirmed about in his seat uneasily. When the case had been given to the jury with a charge which, if not learned of, was convicting, my guide rose and insisted on addressing the jury.

"'Ye all know me,' he said, 'Now, what I want to ask you is this: Do you think I would be sober now if I had stolen that whiskey?'

"This was putting the thing in a new light, and seemed to have a great effect upon the jury, for they acquiesced him without leaving the box. "When it was all over the old fellow was receiving the congratulations of his friends, some one said: "'Sam, how on earth did you do it?'

"'Well,' the old man answered, with a sly twinkle in his eye, 'when I took that whiskey home the old woman said that the first thing I would do would be to go and get full of in-credibly evidence. So she took the jug and locked it away in the cellar till the clouds should roll by. But it's lucky the trial came off just as it did, for I couldn't hold out another day to save my life.'

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west to northwest winds, cooler, be-
coming fine towards evening. Tues-
day, fine and comparatively cool.**LOCAL BRIEFS**Miss Rose Weldon, of Detroit, is
spending a few days with her mother,
Murray St.A large number were down at Mitch-
ell's Bay yesterday. The fishing was
reported good.Owing to ill health Miss Mate Mount
has been compelled to come home from
St. Vincent's, a training school for
nurses in Toledo.Lyle Joseph, the infant son of Mr.
and Mrs. Andrew Day, Harvey street,
passed away at an early hour Sunday
morning. The funeral took place this
morning to St. Joseph's Church, thence
to St. Anthony's Cemetery, where the
remains of the little one were rever-
ently laid away.**COMMITTED FOR PERJURY.**Mary and Addie Johnson were committed
for trial at this morning's police court ses-
sion on crown charges of perjury, in con-
nection with the recent case against the
former for using insulting language to Mrs.
Valade. They secured bail in \$500 each.Senex Bannister was remanded for a week
on a charge of violating the city ordinance
respecting the removal of night soil without
a license.**DROWNED IN A PAIL OF MILK.**A most distressing accident occurred at
the home of Daniel McDonald, who resides
between the fourth and fifth concessions,
Dover. His little son, only a year and a
half old was playing around the door near
which a pail was standing full of sour milk.The child was only missed a few minutes
when it was found by the horrified parents
lying head down in the pail life being ex-
tinct. The family of Mr. McDonald have
been peculiarly unfortunate. Some two
years ago, their little boy was playing near
where a scrapper was standing against the
fence. The heavy implement fell on the
child and killed it instantly. The family
have the sympathy of the community in
this second sad death.**PRACTICE COMMENCES.**Baseball is again a reality in the Maple
City. Work has been commenced on the
grounds and the contract let for leveling
and grading the same. Chas. Bowers has
been appointed caretaker and assumed his
duties this morning.Manager Black is also at work with his
players. "Shorty" Saunders, the popular
little backstop of last year, dropped into
town on Saturday evening and was given a
hearty welcome. This morning Shorty's
merry laugh and amusing chatter were
again heard on the grounds at practice.Wilson, a promising young pitcher, took a
steady work-out with him. Other players
who were practicing this morning were
Boyd, catcher and utility man. Fuller
second, Handicoff third, and Conklin, Neil
and Black outfielders.To-day these players will be augmented
by the appearance of Hale, Donnell, Habel
and Donegan, pitchers; Moore and Sechrist,
outfielders, and Grimeshaw, first base.
O'Connell, the short stop will be here to-
morrow, while LaFleur and Damoth have
promised to blow in about June 1st.The men are rapidly rounding into shape
and Thursday's game with the D. A. C.
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the parliament building this morning that
orders had been issued to seven battalions
in Western Ontario to hold themselves in
readiness to proceed to the St. Clair River
for frontier duty. Col. Matrie, of the 20th
Wellington battalion, is said to have been
one of the commanding officers warned but
he cannot be found at present to confirm or
to deny the statement.
Military men in the buildings say the
move is much more likely to be the result
of Fenian activity than the carrying out
of the suggested military spring
manoeuvres.**IRISH JACK WINS.**His Nominee, James Holmes,
gets the Court Vacancy.The Appointment to be Gazetted
next Saturday—A Surprise for
the Law Society.Score a knockout for Irish Jack.
With almost the entire Reform party
in this riding arrayed against him in the
interests of other candidates, Mr.
Pleasance, proprietor of the Grand
Central hotel, is said to have carried
the day and placed James Holmes in
the position of county clerk.
Word comes from Toronto that Mr.
Holmes' appointment will be gazetted
next Saturday.This is indeed a victory. The Law
Association declared for nobody but a
lawyer. Hon. Mr. Gibson said that no-
body but a lawyer would get the of-
fice. Premier Ross declared that no-
body but a lawyer would be appointed.The nomination of Robert Ferguson, M.
P., announced that nobody but a
lawyer would win the office, and
added that it would be an East Kent
lawyer at that. The Tories backed
D. R. Farquharson against the field.Mr. Farquharson himself based his
number of capable and deserving Re-
form workers, who it was hard to ig-
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the field, backed Mr. Holmes, and won
out with a weak and, as the law as-
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King St. Chatham**FOILED BY FRENCH**Gen. Dewet Tried to Turn the
British Flank but Failed.The Enemy Have Taken up a very
Strong Position Near
Thabanchu.London, April 30.—The latest news
from the Orange Free State indicates
that though the Boers have evacuated
Thabanchu, they have only done so to
occupy stronger positions.On Sunday, April 29, Gen. Dewet
made an effort to turn French's eastern
flank, which was only foiled by
the cavalry after vigorous manoeuvring.The Boers hold the ridges to the
eastward, whence they will probably
fall back when the pressure of supe-
rior numbers increases.The British casualties sustained dur-
ing the Thabanchu fighting were
slight. Gen. French's object, now that
all chance of catching the main
bodies of the burghers has disap-
peared, is to harass the Boers and pre-
vent any well-organized retreat.From Peoria, Portuguese East Africa,
under date of Monday, April 23, comes
the news of the arrival there of a Can-
adian 12-pounder battery. It is added
that Gen. Carrington, who is to com-
mand the British troops going to
Rhodesia, has been cordially welcomed
by the Portuguese officials and that he
has received the Portuguese troops.A convention of the continuous rav-
ages of the war can be gathered from
a Cape Town despatch, dated to-day,
briefly announcing the arrival from
Natal of 25 officers and 252 men in-
valued home and the sailing of the
Aurania for England with 400 sick and
wounded soldiers.Endeavors are being made to remedy
the recurrent question of a S.M.A.
despatch announcing that 500 experienced
native horse keepers, 150 shoemakers
and 50 veterinary officers have been
drawn from India for service in South
Africa.**THE I. O. O. F. AT CHURCH.**The Oddfellows of the city held their
annual church parade last evening to
Holy Trinity Church, headed by the
City Band. The brethren turned out
about 200 strong, all wearing badges
and white gloves. They presented a
fine appearance. The brethren of the
united lodges, Chatham and
Western City No. 93, were marshalled
by Bros. Wm. P. J. Secord and Wm.
Terry. Holy Trinity Church was
handsomely decorated and in addition
congregation was present in large
numbers. The sermon was preached
by the Rev. Mr. Wright, of Brantford.
It was a very fine discourse. Mr.
Wright told how Jesus Christ himself
first taught the brotherhood of man
and the principles he had laid down
were those practiced by the I. O. O.
F. to-day. The good the order did, the
reverend speaker said, could hardly
be estimated. On the return of the
lodges to their temple hearty votes of
thanks were passed to Mr. Wright for
his excellent sermon, to the rector of
Holy Trinity and to the choir.**VERY THOUGHTFUL.**At both services yesterday in the Wil-
liam Street Baptist Church the Rev. J. J.
Ross made appeal in behalf of the fire
sufferers of Hull and Ottawa. He asked
principally for wearing apparel and bed
clothes and, as a result of his request, a
number were waiting this morning at the
church door with clothes, etc., when Mr.
Ross got up.The pastor was quite agreeably surprised
to find his request so quickly acted on. A
box will be sent away tonight and, from
the appearance of things, two boxes may be
sent.**A FINE HORSE.**Topelo, the magnificent thorough-
bred blood stallion which captured
first money at the Peninsula Spring
Fair, is owned by Carl Eberle, of this
city, and is stabled at Lorne Arnold's
establishment on the market square.
Topelo is one of the finest and largest
of this class of thoroughbreds and is
an exceedingly handsome animal. His
four ancestors were the best in the
country and he had no difficulty in
taking first place in the field.**TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY**Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tab-
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if it fails to cure. 25c. E. W. Grove's
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will pay you to inspect our stock of fine
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ings, special per yd. 12c.The time to buy fancy plaid zephyrs
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makes, all the latest colorings and styles,
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Shirtings**Imported galateas, for little boys'
pants or blouses, new patterns, good
qualities and the best colors at 15c and
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stripes, a big range of patterns, extra
fine quality, since the advance on cottons
this cloth is worth 15c a yard, but we
still sell at the old price 12c per yd.Standard shirtings are now worth 12c
a yd. at the wholesale houses, we were
fortunate enough to secure a big lot at
the old price, and as long as they last
you can have them at the old price which
is 12c per yd.English tudden shirtings, in check and
dark stripes, a very fine cloth, good col-
ors and will wear well, 12c per yd.Good apron checks, at 5c and 8c per
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Special, 42 inch apron check, at 12c
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We have made it so easy that a child could serve you in our
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as money can buy. Less costly for the man of moderate
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both.**Our Men's Suits**For the season is now complete, comprising all the new
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worsted and plain black and blue serges and worsteds,
special sizes for stout and slender men, price range at \$3.50,
\$4.50, \$5, \$6, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$9, \$10, \$12 to \$51.**Young Men's Suits**We are showing the swellest line and by far the largest assortment of young men's
suits shown in the city; in all the new effects and designs for spring 1900, nobby over-
plaid, neat checks and hair stripes, handsomely made and best trimmings, perfection
in fit, sizes range 31 to 35, prices run \$3.50, \$4, \$5, \$6, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.50 to \$10.**Boys' 3 Pc. Suits**Made from reliable wearing tweeds, serges and worsteds, in nobby patterns and plain
cloths, we make a specialty in boys' clothing, and this season finds us with the largest
assortment we have ever handled, sizes range 28 to 33, prices run at \$2.95, \$3.50, \$3.75,
\$4, \$4.50, \$5, \$6 to \$7.50.**Boys' 2 Pc. Suits**Made from honest cloths, in tweeds, serges and worsteds, nobby styles, nicely pleated,
a special line of double breasted 2 pc. suits. See us about the boys' outfit and save
money, sizes 22 to 30, prices run \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$1.98, \$2, \$2.25. A special line
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you ever saw, neat checks, nobby overplaid and plain worsteds, with and without
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AS PRIZE RELICS Boers Have Cleared THE NEW ORGAN.

Private Burrell Keeps the Empty Cartridge Shells

After Having Killed Boers With Them—Expects the War Will Soon be Over.

Fred. Faubert has received a very interesting letter from Private H. A. Burrell, dated Bloemfontein, March 22. It is as follows:

Dear Fred.—I am writing you a few lines in answer to your letter which I received last week. I was very much surprised and pleased to hear from you. You asked me a question which I can easily answer. You want to know how far it is from Chatham to where I am at present. Well, it is from Quebec to Bloemfontein 8,250 miles, and from Quebec to Cape Town 7,500 miles by water. I cannot tell you how far it is from Chatham to Quebec.

As for the war it is nearly over. I suppose you have heard of the fight we had at Paardeberg on Feb. 18 and 27. The British loss altogether was 1,050 killed and wounded. Of our Canadians there were 22 killed and 82 wounded. Fred, I tell you you don't know what fighting with rifles and bayonets is when you get so close to the enemy as to stab with the bayonets. It is no fun. But I am glad we have had a general engagement for the whole of the Dominion of Canada. We expect a star for long marching, besides a bar and medals. We also expect £10 of blood money after the war.

I would like to know what is wrong with Jack; he never says a word.

I don't think the war will last much longer. The Orange Free State has laid down arms and Buller is now 20 miles from Pretoria, while we are in Bloemfontein. In a few weeks we expect to go home, for we only enlisted for six months and they will soon be up.

Fred, I will bring you home the first cartridge I shot a Boer with. I saved the shell for a relic. I have several shells that I saved of each Boer I shot. Good-bye. Write soon. Yours,

H. A. BURRELL.

Every Barrington Hat guaranteed.
Price \$2.50. The 2 T's Sole Agents.

IN NEW QUARTERS

The Bell Telephone Company's Recent Removal

Accomplished Without Any Interruption to the Ordinary Service.

The Bell Telephone Co. have now completed everything in connection with the removal of their offices from the old premises opposite the post office to the public library building, corner of King and Fourth streets.

The large new offices are handsomely finished in oak and so arranged as to be most convenient in every respect for the general public as well as for the officials themselves. The apparatus, including the long distance booths, switch-boards, distributing rack, etc., is entirely new and of the latest design. The booths, which are fitted with the long distance equipment, for the use of those using the long distance lines, are of the latest pattern and are perfectly sound proof. They were manufactured in Montreal especially for this office. The switchboard and distributing racks are also of the latest pattern in use for an office of this size and embody all the best improvements.

To one uninitiated in the mysteries of telephone equipment it is strange how the change of this entire system could have been completed without the interrupting of the service for one half day. In fact very few of the subscribers knew that anything had happened and numbers of them dropped in to express their surprise at finding the officials of the company working away in their new quarters as if nothing had taken place excepting that they all had the conscious look of pride in their Easter outfit. The moving of the office was in the hands of L. H. Wadland, of Hamilton, superintendent of construction of Ontario, and the work was carried out by C. J. Leslie, who looked after the line work, and H. E. Fairbanks, who took charge of the switchboard work.

It was due to the experience and energy of Mr. Wadland and his two able assistants that the work was carried out so successfully here and they are to be congratulated on the skill and care with which they handled that work.

Not a little of the success of the Telephone Co. in this city, however, is due to the energy and efficient business methods of the popular and enterprising local manager, F. D. Lauris, whose efforts are largely responsible for the increasing popularity and patronage of the enterprise. There are many new subscribers being added to the list every week and citizens should be careful to enquire of the operators before concluding that the person they want has no telephone as the most conservative of people both in residences and business places are shortly to realize that to be in it now they must have a telephone.

A Dressy Couple — a pair of \$3.50 Slater Shoes and a \$2.50 Barrington Hat. The 2 T's.

Wear The 2 T's \$10 New Method Suits.

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duce further wholesale shrinkage. He says the Boers are short of wheat, wheat and smokeless powder, but they say that they have plenty of other stores and of rifle ammunition. They are not likely to make, however, a serious resistance, as they possess no positions on this side of Pretoria that are not capable of being turned by the British army. Moreover, the Vaal River offers no protection, because it is fordable every 12 miles or so. The official thinks a determined advance by the British would lead the Boers to destroy the Johannesburg mines. Their cleverest general, he says, is Delarey, although Botha is a man of great ability. None of the Boer commanders, in his opinion, can be compared with the late Gen. De la Rey.

AN IMPORTANT STRONGHOLD. A Thabanchu despatch of the 30th inst.—"General French sent the 3rd and 4th cavalry brigades on separate reconnaissances around the hills east of the town. The enemy, it was found, held the hills strongly, though evidently only a rear guard, as no transport was visible. The Boers are now holding a very steep row of hills east."

A Bloemfontein despatch says—"It is understood that the British will continue to hold Thabanchu owing to its strategic importance, and especially with a view to checking future raids. The commandos that had recently been operating in the direction of Thabanchu are melting away. The Boers quietly returning to their farms and many of them taking the oath of allegiance. Experience has shown, however, in many cases, that this is only a pretence to enable the Boers to create disturbances on the rear of the British, and vigorous methods will probably be necessary to force real disarmament."

"The recent operations have tended to clear the military situation. Gen. Pole-Carew's progress through the country has brought home to the Boers the fact that the policy of Scatters the stocks of farmers who, after having given their submission, were found fighting, he commandeered all the available forage, giving receipts for the same, and this will prevent the Boers using the resources of the country. The Boers are now evidently returning in order to concentrate for opposing the British advance."

"Now that Thabanchu, as well as the approaches, is strongly held, Lord's and the unfriendly Basutos lining the border, is rendered a position of extreme danger for the Boers. The gravity of which will be accentuated from the moment the British advance begins."

WAR NOTES.

The Daily Mail publishes a statement from Col. Long, who was blamed for the loss of the guns at Colenso, that in advancing the guns he did, he merely obeyed orders, and that the staff was quite ignorant of the Boer position.

The sudden decision of the Boer peace delegates to go to America is attributed to the fact that the Government of the Netherlands, after ordering them to leave the European capitals, told them they had nothing to hope from Europe.

Col. Dalrymple's force at Wepener numbered 1,700. His losses during the siege were killed and 149 wounded. It is reported that Aliwal North, the Commandant Oliver was wounded at Wepener last Monday. Six New Zealanders, while scouting, fought six Boers, killing three and wounding three. One New Zealander was wounded. The inhabitants of Rouville do not know to which government they belong, as there is no civil administration there.

Astounded the Editor.

Editor S. A. Brown, of Bennettville, "Through long suffering from dyspepsia," he writes, "my wife was greatly run down. She had no strength, vigor and suffered great distress from her stomach, but she tried Electric Bitters, which helped her at once, and, after using four bottles, she is as lively well, can eat anything. It's a grand tonic and its gentle laxative qualities are splendid for torpid liver." For Indigestion, Loss of Appetite, Stomach and Liver Troubles, find a positive, guaranteed cure. Only 50c at A. I. McCall & Co.'s Drug Store.

TILBURY.

April 30.—Rev. Mr. Hodges, of Ottawa, late of Tilbury, conducted service in the Presbyterian Church here last evening.

Mr. Olney returned on Saturday on an extended trip to England. Miss Ethel Lang, of Essex, was the guest of friends here on Saturday. Mrs. A. B. Nicol, of New York, is the guest of her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. James Nicol.

Chas. Pettit, of Staples, was in town. The eldest son of J. A. Tremblay, Middle road, aged eight years, died on Saturday, after a short illness, and was buried to-day in St. Francis' Cemetery.

The Daily Planet is on sale at John's Drug Store.

The great amount of design work done at the Victoria Avenue Green Houses is sufficient proof of the excellence of the work. Nothing but the best at the lowest prices. Telephone 181.

DREDEN

April 30.—Mrs. John Boyce, North Dreden, who has been ill with consumption for some time, died on Saturday last, age 30. The funeral will take place from the residence Walnut street, on Tuesday, May 1st, at 10 o'clock and proceed to the Baptist church where the service will be conducted by the Rev. John Yorton.

Miss Alice Harris was in Chatham on Saturday.

We regret to learn of the serious illness of Robert Irish, who was taken suddenly ill with paralysis while in Dr. Duncan's office last Saturday. Mrs. Irish is with him, also his daughter, Mrs. Tassie, and two children, Blanch and Gladys.

Carpenters are busy at work on the house owned by William Rudd, Jr., Hughes street.

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THE NEW ORGAN.

Victoria Avenue Methodist is Near it to Great Advantage.

Special Musical services Yesterday—The Program—A Visiting Minister Present.

At the largely attended and excellent services at the Victoria Ave. Methodist Church yesterday the handsome new Lye pipe organ was formally opened for divine worship. The services of Wm. H. Brackin, the talented young organist of the First Presbyterian Church, were secured for the occasion and the excellent musical program at both services was exceptionally enjoyable and edifying. In the morning Mr. Brackin played as the opening voluntary the March Militaire by Gounod-Archer, and in the evening rendered a magnificent arrangement of The Lost Chord.

The pulpit was occupied on both occasions by Rev. A. H. Going, B. A. of Port Stanley, who was assisted in the conduct of the services by the pastor, Rev. H. W. Locke. Rev. Mr. Going is a former pastor of this church and a young man of earnestness and ability. In the morning his theme was that of progress in church life and he made appropriate and congratulatory reference to the service of advancement of the congregation from former financial deformity to its present prosperous condition.

In the evening Rev. Mr. Going preached an eloquent and elaborate discourse on spiritualism, in which he gave a most interesting account of his personal investigation of its principles and methods and exposed what he regarded as the fallacies in its doctrines.

The musical services were under the direction of Conductor J. W. Humphrey and were exceptionally enjoyable. The full program was as follows:—

Morning.
Hymn 81.
Anthem, The Sins of God Went Forth to Sea, E. Marshall—Choir.
Hymn 136.
Solo, Contrite Heart, Ambrose—Miss A. Humphrey.
Solo, The Holy Father, Stearns—Mr. J. W. Wilson.

Evening.
Hymn 103.
Anthem, The Roseate, Hues of Early Dawn, Stearns—Choir, with solo by Miss Humphrey and Mr. J. W. Mann.
Solo, He Shall Feed His Flock, Handel's Messiah.
Quartet, Now the Day is Over, Marks—Misses L. M. Jackson and Messes C. T. Hill and G. O'Hara.
Hymn 391.

GENERAL SPORTS.

What is Going on in Baseball and Other Athletic Games.

News, Local and Telegraphic, Gathered From Reliable Sources.

National League.

At Chicago.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1 5 2
St. Louis.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3—5 7 2
Batteries—Garvin and Donahue; Young and O'Connor. Umpire, O'Day.

At Pittsburgh.....0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 2—4 9 2
Cincinnati.....0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 5—7 13 2
Batteries—Chesbro and Zimmer; Newton and Kahoe. Umpire, Swartwood.

At Philadelphia.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1 9 4
Philadelphia.....1 0 3 2 3 3 7 0—19 17 1
Batteries—Doherty and Warner; Donahue and McFarland. Umpire, Connolly.

At Brooklyn.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1 5 1
Brooklyn.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 1 1—10 11 0
Batteries—Dineen, Nichols and Clarke; Kennedy and Maguire. Umpire, Emslie.

At Cleveland.....0 4 1 2 0 2 2 2—14 19 1
Indianapolis.....0 0 2 0 1 0 3 0 1—7 14 3
Batteries—Hart and Spies; Kellum and Heyden.

At Minneapolis.....0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 2—5 2 2
Kansas City.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1 5 3
Batteries—Parker and Fisher; Gates and Sullivan.

At Milwaukee.....0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1—5 10 1
Milwaukee.....0 0 3 0 1 0 0 0 0—4 7 0
Batteries—Reidy and Yeager; Katal and Sudgen.

At Buffalo.....4 3 0 0 2 0 2 1—12 15 3
Buffalo.....0 0 4 0 3 0 0 0 0—7 13 3
Batteries—Kern, Baker and Schrock; Gaston, Field and McAllister.

SUNDAY GAMES.

At Cincinnati.....2 0 0 0 0 1 1 1 0 0—6 15 5
Pittsburg.....2 0 0 0 1 0 3 0 0 0—8 12 2
Batteries—Breitenstein and Kahoe; Philippi and Schriver. Umpire, Swartwood.

At Chicago.....0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—1 5 1
St. Louis.....0 1 0 2 0 0 2 0 1—6 11 3
Batteries—Meneese and Donahue; Sudhoff and O'Connor. Umpire, O'Day.

At Minneapolis—Minneapolis 5, Kansas City 4.

At Milwaukee—Milwaukee 1, Chicago 2.

American League.

Clubs.....Won. Lost. Cent.
Milwaukee.....5 2 .714
Cleveland.....5 3 .625
Kansas City.....5 4 .556
Indianapolis.....4 4 .500
Chicago.....4 4 .500
Buffalo.....3 5 .375
Detroit.....3 5 .375
Minneapolis.....3 7 .300

National League.

Clubs.....Won. Lost. Cent.
Philadelphia.....6 3 .667
Cincinnati.....6 3 .667
Brooklyn.....5 3 .625
St. Louis.....5 3 .625
New York.....3 4 .429
Chicago.....3 6 .333
Pittsburg.....2 6 .250
Boston.....2 6 .250

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The Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune has sprung the latest story of Rube Waddell, the Pittsburg southpaw, formerly with Chatham. It is as follows:

"One would suppose that a player who has been in the game for several seasons would have some knowledge of the workings of a turnstile. Not so with Rube Waddell, however. Reuben was placed on the grandstand gate yesterday to see, for the benefit of the Pittsburg club, that the gatekeepers did not give themselves the worst of it. Just before the gates were opened Rube arrived dressed in regular Pink Hawley fashion. The grandstand turnstile was the first thing to strike his eye, and after examining it closely, he began to spin it around."

A few minutes before the game was called, Manager Bancroft had occasion to size up the crowd, and in order to assure himself just how many were in the grandstand he looked at the turnstile register. The figures that he gazed upon made the perspiration come out in drops. Rube could not believe his eyes. He did not know whether to mistrust the register or whether it was possible that so large a crowd had entered without attracting his attention. Rube's excitement caused Rube to enquire what the trouble was, and when Banny explained that the register was something wrong with the register on the turnstile, Rube inquired:

"Oh, does that thing tell how many people are here?"

"Yes, every time it clicks it registers one," answered Banny.

"Well, I did not know that, and I guess I turned it around a few times before the gates opened, innocently admitted Rube."

"A few times? Well, I should say you did. According to this side there are 10,000 people in the grandstand," roared Banny.

"Rube is also a fiend against the penny-in-the-slot machines. He put \$3 worth of coppers in the slot machine at his hotel yesterday morning and won 15 cigars, and he figured out that he was beating the machine and told the other players to keep it quiet."

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